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"We have to-day taken steps for organization and incorporated for practical work, and have named this board The Rocketeiler Commission for the Eradication of riookworm Disease."

"The 'hookworm' parasites tend to lower the vitailty of those affected, rotard their physical and mental development, render them more susceptible to other diseases, make labor less efficient, and in the sections where the manady is most prevalent, greatly increase the death rate from consumntion, pneumonia, typhoid fever and malaria.

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"It has been shown that the lowered vitality of multitudes attributed to maiaria and climatic changes, and seriously affecting economic developments, if fact, largely due in some districts to this parasite.

"The disease is by no means confined to any one class; it takes its toll of suffering and death from the highly intelligent and well-to-do, as well as from the less fortunate. It is a conservative estimate that 2,000,000 of our people are infected by this parasite. The disease is more common and more serious in children of school age than in any other persons,
"Widespread and serious as the infection is, there is a most encouraging outlook. The disease can be easily recognized, readily and effectively treated, and by simple and proper san listy precautions successfully prevented."

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"The undertaking proposed by you is, therefore, not only fall of promise of great benefit, but is eminently definite and practicable.

"We desire, individually, as well as collectively, to thank you for this opportunity to be of service to our fellowmen; and we enter upon our tasks with a deep sense of the responsibility laid upon us."

What the Hookworm is.

The "hookworm," according to New York medical authorities, is a hair-like parasite to which is charged a form of anemia, prevalent especially among the poor people of the South. It was not until recent years that members of the medical profession recognized that a parasite vaused the malady.

In December, 1902, Dr. Charles Wardell Stiles, then a zoologist in the Bureau of Animal Industry at Wnahington, who had been studying parasites, announced to the Pau-American Sanitary Congress his conviction that so called "laziness" and "abifusenses," widely observed in certain portions of the "hookworm." Many members of the congress expressed surprise at the announcement, and up to the present the disease has been a matter of some controversy.

Means Organized War.

COLUMBIA. S. C., October 23.—John
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hat what heretofore has been an isolated and sporadic war on the malady
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The disease, which first was identified by Dr. C. W. Stiles, has a rather well defined geographical limit—it is not markedly prevalent north of the Potomac and Ohio Rivers.

Unsanitary conditions on the farms, the researches show, have much to do with the continuance of the disease. It is more prevalent in negroes than in whites, but in the blacks its direct effects seem to be less virulent.

The direct results are retardation of physical and mental development, extreme anemia, often mistaken for malaria, ulcars on the sidns, and weakness, frequently characterized as laziness.

Among the indirect effects of the disease, appellazonation to pulmount.

ranks of the old vesterans who followed the ring of Lee and Jackson from ... anassas to Appomattox. "Important and much-needed departments and bureaus to the proper regulation and control of our public utilities and for the general protection of the people Interests. Among these departments is the corporation Commission, charged with the exercise Che his, hest and most fur-reaching judicial, legislative and executive functions ever intrusted to any tribunal in Virginia or in this country, and whose duty it is, as it conceive, while exercising these great powers in a spirit of wisdom, fairness, conservatism and even liberality, at the same time and at all times, to assert and maintain resolutely, and, if need be, aggressively, the whole power and authority vested in that body by the organic law of the State. Choiest Yield.

"But this is not all the fruit on this Democratic tree; here is some more of it and some of the choicest of it; settlement of the race question in Virginia by a constitutional provision which has been upnoined by the Supreme Court of the United States. Under this salutary enactment, while left of the free country of the choicest of the country and positively and positively and positively and positively and present the settlement of the race question in Virginia by a constitutional provision which has heen upnoined by the Supreme Court of the United States. Under this salutary enactment, while left he supplies the power of the court of the united States. Under this salutary enactment, while left he supplies the power of the state of the whole security walking by the salutary enactment, while left and blessings of visities to which he seem that while he is unable to provide an a partialities of the whole power of the provision of day are acceptant while he he is unable to provide and partialities of the whole power of the provision of the second which he acceptance walking by the salutary enactment, while left in the feet of our old mother, whose honor the first our old mother, whose honor

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Democratic Record. The achievements of Virginia Demo-eracy were then recounted, Governor Swanson taking up the departments of the government in turn, with words of praise for the work done by each

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Eggleston, Jr., in his work for the public school system. The depart-ments of agriculture, labor, health. charities, geological survey, roads, were one by one mentioned. The ap-propriations for Confederate pensions propriations for Confederate pensions, the food laws and other legislation were explained and commended. If the present policy with regard to the State debt is continued, he predicted, the State's bonded obligations will be extinguished within thirty years.

"The Democratic party is the party of progress, of development," he declared. "Under its rule the old Commonwealth is destined to growth to greater wealth and importance. Its possibilities are to-day greater than ever before."

Refering to the Democratic State ticket, Governor Swanson said that all differences had been threshed out in the primary. He eulogized Judge Mann, the mention of whose name received hearty applause. The executive closed with a tribute to the State and an appeal to the voters to do their full duty at the poils.

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